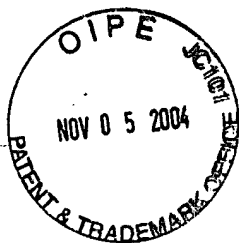


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Applicants : Randy W. Jackson et al.  
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Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated May 5, 2004, please extend the period of time for response three months to expire on November 5, 2004. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the required fee (deposit account charge). Please amend the application as shown on the attached pages.